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DECLARATION FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.63)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my mailing address and citizenship are as stated below.

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## Administering Apparatus Comprising a Rotational Block

the specification of which:

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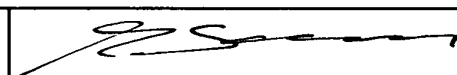
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Title: Administering Apparatus Comprising a Rotational Block

WHEREAS, I, Fritz KIRCHHOFFER, residing at Wassermatt, CH-3454 SUMISWALD, Switzerland, and I, Michael SCHAER, residing at Muehleackerstrasse 3, CH-4543 DEITINGEN, Switzerland, have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in an application entitled **Administering Apparatus Comprising a Rotational Block** for Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even herewith, and


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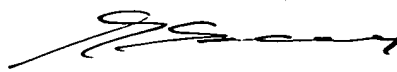
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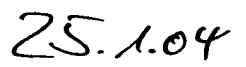
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